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We support tighter regulation of adoption agencies. My husband and I have recently adopted a boy from Romania. When deciding on our adoption agency, we did extensive research. Despite our careful planning, we felt that our adoption agency was less than honest with us about the current moratorium in Romania. Lapses like this make us feet that tighter control by US government regulation would be advantageous. Lara Steele